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Modernisation of ITIs
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Will the Minister of SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP be pleased to state:

(a) whether the schemes/programmes intended for modernization/upgradation of Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs) have achieved the desired result during each of the last three years and the current year;

(b) if so, the details thereof along with the number of ITIs modernized/upgraded during the said period, scheme/programme-wise and if not, the reasons therefor;

(c) the details of the funds provided along with its utilisation under the said schemes/programmes during the said period;

(d) the number of ITIs modernized/ upgraded under the Public Private Partnership across the country during the said period;

(e) whether the ITIs have been imparting education and skills according to the requirement of the industry, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and

(f) the steps taken/being taken by the Government for imparting education/skill by the ITIs to meet the demand of industry for skilled workforce?

Answer

(a) to (d) Yes Madam. The Union Government is implementing following schemes for the purpose of upgrading the Government Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs) all over the country:
i. Upgradation of 400 ITIs through Vocational Training Improvement Project (VTIP) with World Bank Assistance.
ii. Upgradation of 1396 Government ITIs through Public Private Partnership.
iii. Enhancing Skill Development Infrastructure in North Eastern States & Sikkim.

The number of Government ITIs covered scheme-wise is as below:
Upgradation of 400 ITIs through Vocational Training Improvement Project (VTIP) with World Bank Assistance Upgradation of 1396 Government ITIs through Public Private Partnership Enhancing Skill Development Infrastructure in North Eastern States & Sikkim
400 ITIs 1227 ITIs â€¢ 20 ITIs under upgradation
â€¢ 28 ITIs under supplementing infrastructure deficiency

Details of funds released during the last three years and utilization by the recipient States/UTs is at Annex I.

Under the scheme of Upgradation of 1396 Government ITIs through PPP, 1227 Government ITIs was covered during the XI Plan period. Release of fund under the scheme has come to end by 31.03.2012.

(e) & (f) To ensure ITIs impart skills as per the requirement of the Industries, the syllabus for the trades taught in ITIs are designed by expert committees constituted by Central Staff Training and Research Institute (CSTARI), Kolkata which comprises experts from Industrial markets as per requirement. These syllabii are further approved by National Council for Vocational Training (NCVT) sub-committee for norms; which comprises of expert / representation from different walks of life and headed by Joint Secretary, Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship. The Ministry has now constituted "Sector Mentor Committees" under Chairmanship of Industry to review all skill courses including those imparted in ITIs to align them to Industry needs.